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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to their duty of good faith and candor as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a) Applicants submit herewith the reference cited on the attached PTO form 1449.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider this reference in connection with the search of the prior art required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.104.

Certification Under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(2)

We hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.97(e)(2) that no item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement filed concurrently herewith was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was known to any individual designated in § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement.

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It is believed that no fee is required to ensure consideration of the cited references by the Examiner. However, if a fee is deemed necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required in this matter to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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